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NLSs in §§153.901, 153.903, 153.909, and 153.1100 through 153.1132 of this chapter.

Subpart 98.33—Portable Tanks for Certain Grade E Combustible Liquids and Other Regulated Materials

SOURCE: CGD 84-043, 55 FR 37412, Sept. 11, 1990, unless otherwise noted.

§98.33-1 Applicability.

- (a) This subpart contains regulations concerning transfer of certain low-hazard materials to and from portable tanks on vessels
- (b) This subpart applies to the following portable tanks:
- (1) A DOT-specification 57 portable tank (see 49 CFR 173.24, 173.32, 178.251, and 178.253);

NOTE TO PARAGRAPH (b)(1): Copies of Specifications 178.251 and 178.253 may be obtained from the Commandant (G-MSO-3).

- (2) A portable tank authorized under 49 CFR 176.340(b); and
- (3) A portable tank approved by the Commandant under subpart 50.20 of this chapter.

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§98.33-3 Cargoes authorized.

The following cargoes are authorized for transfer to and from portable tanks authorized by §98.33–5:

- (a) Grade E combustible liquids that have a closed-cup flashpoint of 300 °F or higher and that meet the definition of no DOT hazard class in 49 CFR part 173;
- (b) Any environmentally hazardous substance, liquid N.O.S., Class 9, listed in table 1 of appendix A of 49 CFR 172.101, and any aqueous solution of an environmentally hazardous substance, solid, N.O.S., Class 9, listed in that table, that meets the definition of "Hazardous substance" in 49 CFR 171.8.
- (c) Other cargoes subject to regulation under 49 CFR parts 171 through 176 when authorized in writing by the Commandant. Requests for such au-

thorization must be submitted as prescribed in §153.900(d)(1) of this chapter.

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§98.33-5 Portable tanks authorized.

The cargoes authorized under §98.33-3 may be transferred to and from portable tanks to which this subpart applies if the portable tanks have:

- (a) A minimum design pressure of 9 psig.
- (b) Pressure-relief devices that may be frangible pressure-relief devices (rupture disks), and that do not open at less than 3 psig.

 $[{\rm CGD}~84\text{--}043,~55~{\rm FR}~37412,~{\rm Sept.}~11,~1990;~55~{\rm FR}~47477,~{\rm Nov.}~14,~1990]$

§ 98.33-7 Pipe and hose connections.

If a portable tank authorized under §98.33-5 of this part has a pipe or hose connection in its bottom, the connection must have a manually operated valve and a bolted flange, threaded cap, or similar device, to protect against leakage of the tank's contents.

§98.33-9 Stowage.

Each portable tank authorized under \$98.33-5 of this part must be secured to the vessel by devices of sufficient strength and number to prevent the tank from moving in any direction during transport.

§ 98.33–11 Smoking.

No person may smoke when-

- (a) Within 50 feet of a portable tank containing a combustible liquid; and
- (b) On the deck where the tank is stowed.

§ 98.33-13 Cargo-handling systems.

A cargo authorized under §98.33-3 of this part may not be transferred to or from a portable tank authorized under §98.33-5 of this part unless the cargohandling system meets the requirements of subpart F of part 64 of this chapter.

§ 98.33-15 Transfers.

A cargo authorized under §98.33–3 of this part may not be transferred to or from a portable tank authorized under